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# 3 FAM 3720 REST AND RECUPERATION (R&R) TRAVEL

#### **MAJOR CHANGES**

- 1. Subchapter 3720 has been revised. There were a few minor typographical errors throughout this subchapter that were corrected in addition to the inclusion of the new material listed below.
- 2. 3 FAM 3720 has a new 3 FAM 3725.3-4, For Posts That Gain an R&R Trip, section which includes information if a post's designation changes from a non-R&R post to a R&R post and the eligibility requirements for employees assigned to the post.
- 3. Revisions since the last update appear in italics. The italics will be removed the next time the material is updated. Only current changes will appear in italics. Italics provide a historical record of changes.
- 4. Officers are reminded that Department-issued materials not codified in the *Foreign Affairs Manual* or its supplemental *Foreign Affairs Handbook* series generally have no regulatory validity (see 2 FAM 1115.2).

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